



MT. STERLING PREPARES TO OPEN TOBACCO SALES

The Farmers' Tobacco Warehouse Company has selected its working force for the coming season and is making arrangements to handle a large sales crop this year. The officers chosen are: Manager, John R. Crockett, of Bath county; secretary and treasurer, Rex Hall, of Montgomery county; floor manager, Clarence Williams, of Mt. Sterling; bookkeepers and calculators, Courtney Horton, of Mt. Sterling, and Parke Donaldson, of Bath county. The warehouse company has not set its opening date but will do so later on and it is hoped to have the market open about December 1 to 15. The tobacco crop will be somewhat later than last season in cutting and housing.

Horse Wanted.

To keep for its use. Apply to
Roger H. Hedden.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The Montgomery County Christian Sunday School Association met in convention last Thursday at Somerset church. There was a good crowd in attendance. Each of the six schools of the county were represented. The visiting ministers were Mr. Walter E. Frazer, Superintendent of K. C. B. S. Association, accompanied by his wife; President R. H. Crossfield and J. W. Hardy, of Transylvania College; Bro. Chas. Darsie, of Pennsylvania; Kenneth Bowen, C. O. Banta and T. W. Levy, of Lexington. A very helpful program was rendered and a delightful dinner served by the ladies of the Somerset church. The convention will meet at Camargo next year.

TO ASSIST IN CON- DUCTING INSTITUTE

Prof. W. O. Hopper, of the Mt. Sterling City Schools, has been selected to assist Prof. R. S. Eubank, of Lexington, in the conduction of the Boyd County Teachers' Institute, which will be held at Catlettsburg during the week beginning August 21st. Prof. Hopper is one of the state's foremost educators and his selection is a good one.

IS CALLED SUDDENLY

Mrs. Sallie E. Hoge Dies Suddenly
Monday Morning at Home of
Her Sister.

Mrs. Sallie E. Hoge, aged 73 years, was stricken with apoplexy Monday morning and survived only a few minutes. Mrs. Hoge was the wife of A. H. Hoge, deceased, and formerly made her home in Kansas City, Mo., where Mr. Hoge was a prominent lawyer, but since his death she has been living with her sister, Mrs. Ben F. Herriott. Deceased was a woman of sweet disposition and lovely Christian character and the news of her sudden death was received with much sorrow by a large circle of friends. Mrs. Hoge was widely connected in this section, being survived by one brother, Mr. R. R. Whitsitt, and four sisters, Mrs. B. F. Herriott, Mrs. Fannie Moberley, of this county; Mrs. R. N. Ratliff, of Winchester, and Mrs. Eldred Bean, of Lexington. Funeral services will be conducted at the Herriott residence Wednesday morning at ten o'clock conducted by Rev. E. L. Southgate, with burial in Machpelah cemetery. To the bereaved family the Advocate extends sympathy.

Straw Sailor Hats worth up to
\$5.00, for \$1.00.

Punch, Graves & Co.

DIES IN BOURBON

Mr. Caleb Lettice Kern, father of Hon. R. G. Kern, of this city, died at his home in Bourbon county last Wednesday afternoon, death being caused by pneumonia. Mr. Kern was 77 years of age and was an active farmer. He was an upright and highly honored gentleman who held the respect and esteem of his many acquaintances. Mr. Kern is also survived by three daughters, Mrs. Paul W. Tutt, of St. Louis, and Mrs. O. P. Clay and Miss Sallie Kern, of Bourbon county. Mr. Kern and his sisters have the sympathy of hosts of friends in the loss of their father.

KENTUCKY TROOPS WILL GO TO THE BORDER

All the National Guard units included in President Wilson's call on June 18, not yet on the Mexican border, were ordered there Saturday by the War Department. Between 20,000 and 25,000 additional troops will thus be added to the border force there. National Guard forces on the border will number about 125,000 and the total of all troops on the border or in Mexico will be 175,000. Secretary Baker made a formal announcement that the troops' movement had nothing whatever to do with the Mexican situation, and was solely to relieve thousands of troops now held in mobilization camps, only because of the lack of a few recruits to bring units up to minimum peace strength. Saturday's orders will send the troops from Kentucky, Ohio and Vermont to the border as soon as transportation can be arranged for them and will move all the others as soon as they are properly equipped. War Department officials decided on their action because the troops are restive in camp and there seems to be no stimulant to recruiting while there was no prospect of movement to the border. They now expect most of the regiments will be filled before the troops leave.

The Kentucky, Ohio and Vermont troops, which will move practically at once, will add the following units to the long border line:

Kentucky—One brigade of three regiments of infantry, one company signal corps, one field hospital and one ambulance company, mobilized at Fort Thomas.

Ohio—Two brigades of three regiments each of infantry, one squadron cavalry, one battalion field artillery, one battalion engineers, one battalion signal corps, three field hospital corps, two ambulance companies, all mobilized at Columbus.

Vermont—One regiment infantry, and one squadron cavalry, mobilized at Colchester.

Ladies' Slippers, sizes 2½ to 4, values up to \$5.00, for \$1.00.

Punch, Graves & Co.

PROF. GAINES GOES TO GEORGETOWN

Prof. J. P. Gaines, of Georgetown, who was recently elected as teacher of mathematics and science at the Mt. Sterling Public Graded Schools, has asked that he be released and this request was granted by the School Board. Prof. Gaines has accepted the position of principal of the Georgetown High School. He is an excellent man and it is with regret that he leaves Mt. Sterling. His successor has not yet been chosen by the School Board.

Notice to Contractors.

The specifications for repairing Holt avenue with macadam have been prepared by Prof. M. J. Goodwin and the citizens of that street are now ready to receive bids for this work. For further information address or see S. S. Pinney.

MADE A DELEGATE

Gov. A. O. Stanley has designated County Attorney E. W. Senff as a delegate to the Southern Appalachian Good Roads Convention, to be held September 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th at Lexington, Ky.

COUNTY FAIR NEEDS HELP

Committee Appointed at Mass Meeting Held at Court House Saturday Afternoon.

At a mass meeting held at the Court House Saturday the following committee was appointed to sell stock or take subscriptions to pay the Montgomery County Fair Association out of debt: E. W. Senff, C. K. Oldham, R. D. Barnes, J. S. Frazer, B. W. Hall and W. C. Hamilton.

The Fair Association, which was organized about seven years ago with a capital stock of \$7,877.50, leaving a balance of unsold stock of \$2,112.50 now in the treasury, is in need of funds to carry on the fair. Since its organization the association has made and put in improvements about \$8,500 in addition to the capital stock sold, and they now have a plant worth about \$16,000 with twelve years longer lease to run.

Any one desiring to make a contribution toward keeping alive the biggest thing Mt. Sterling has ever had may do so by sending it to any one of the above named committee or calling upon them.

Vinegar for Sale.

Pure apple vinegar, 40c per gal. (6-2t) W. T. Tyler.

THE WINCHESTER OPENING

It has been definitely decided that Vice President Thos. R. Marshall and Congressman Thos. F. Heflin, of Alabama, will be the principal speakers at the Winchester opening of the Democratic campaign on September 9th. It is also probable that Hon. Scott Ferris, of Oklahoma, will address the crowd that is expected from all parts of the state. All are orators of renown and will interest, educate and electrify. The people of Winchester and Clark county are working day and night to make the opening the greatest in the history of the state and they are of the character that know no such word as fail. With the flow of oratory, the feast of barbecued meats, burgoo and other eatables, all who attend are insured that they will feel that it is good to be there. Everybody is invited and expected.

Boys' Palm Beach Suits, one-half off.
Punch, Graves & Co.

LOCAL HORSES WIN

Mendoza T., owned by Mr. J. R. Magowan, and Albert O., owned by P. L. Hensley, were winners at the Lexington Fair last week, while Bernice Moore, owned by W. E. Bean, won third money, Peter Chenuault, owned by E. R. Little, winning second money in the same race. In the plantation show ring the big black gelding of Mr. J. R. Magowan was second, there were 16 horses in this ring. The fair was well attended, people going from all sections of the state, and while the fair was a good one it was conceded by those who attended the Montgomery county fair and the Lexington fair that the Montgomery county fair was the superior one.

Old papers for sale at this office.

"DOLLAR DAY" MAKES HIT, EVERYBODY WELL PLEASED

The first "Dollar Day" held by the merchants of Mt. Sterling made a big hit with the buying public and the merchants were more than pleased with the large business which most of them enjoyed. There was a big crowd in town and the day was one of the best, in a business day, that this town has enjoyed in many a day. Such values as were offered were bound to draw a crowd, as in many instances goods were sold far below cost, and it goes without saying that bargain hunters will eagerly await the "Dollar Day" sales, which will be held the second Saturday in each month, and with each merchant trying to offer more attractive bargains than his competitors, the public is sure to get a run for its money at these monthly sales.

Cooked and minced ham for a cold lunch at Vanarsdell's.

NEW TYPE OF LAMP

The Kentucky Utilities Company has placed a new type of lamp in front of the Mt. Sterling National Bank, which seems to give a good light. We are informed this kind of lamp can be furnished the city at about one-half the cost of the present are lights. If this be true, a number of similar ones should be installed.

\$3.00 Pumps and Oxforde cut to \$2.45. (51-tf)

The Brunner Shoe Co.

BUYS CITY PROPERTY

Mrs. Sallie Berry and Miss Amanda Clay, of the county, have purchased the Games property, on Main street and after making some additions and improvements will move to this city to reside. We welcome these excellent people to our city.

BACK ON THE JOB

The many friends of genial Seth Botts will be pleased to learn that he has resumed his position at Ringo's Cafe. Seth is one of the city's most popular young men.

Lost—Hub, cap, Veeder Hubometer. Apply to Taylor Hunt, Sunrise, Ky. Reward for return to owner. 2t

Mr. Farmer

now is the time to be getting in your supply of coal for winter. Come in and let us figure with you on what you need. Our

Miller's Creek

has no superior and few equals. Haul now while the roads are in good condition. Our yards are well stocked and we have fine loading facilities.

We will appreciate a share of your patronage.

McDonald Bros.

Telephone No. 3

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

EXTRA ATTRACTION

George Beban in 'PASQUALE'

Greater Than "An Alien."

Beban Again Assumes An Italian Character.

Do Not Fail to See "Pasquale"

The Tabb Theatre

Matinee, 2:30; Night, 7:30 and 9:00

Monday, August 21st

Adults, 20c; Children, 10c